WEATHER IN GREAT VARIETY. SNOW AND RAIN ALTERNATELY-A DISAGREEABLE PHASE OF CITY LIFE.

"Old Probabilities" gave his 'riends a little of everything vesteriay in the way of weather. There was rain in the menuing followed by a snow squall at noon that tapered off into a sort of fog at night. The snow, which had been carefully pile! up in hills all over the city and as carefully pile! up in hills all over the city and as carefully left there, was washed down and again scattered over the stree's in such quantities and of snee consistency as to make "when high a most impossible. The cross-walks disappeared from view under the mass of slush, mud and water that was everywhere ankle deep. Cabs and is ages, tracks and street-cars ploughed along through these small oceans and sattered pedestr ans who went within a rod of them. About noon the snow ceased falling; rand took its place for a few minutes, then there was a cam, in which fog, mist and smoke wrestled for first place. Late in the afternoon there was a little lifting of the fog and mist, but darkness came on and the sky was still overcat. The art was cold in the morning and there were signs of good sleighing if the snow held on. But it dindrt. It held un. Everyone who ventured out of doors took his or his friend's umbrella. There was a run on waterproofs of water, of course. People with "guns," and walked through pud lies and snow-banks as if they had done it all their lives and were unhappy when they counting to it. Teamsters made music with their expressions of disgust as the condition of the streets, and whenever there appeared an opening in the fog they filed it up immediately with profanty. There were no bleckades on the elevated roads and very few cows on the tracks. Small boys, who employed their time in good weather in blacking pedestrians' boots, joined the shovel brinarie or shrivered under the caves of the nearest bunding. These were no bleckades on the shovel brinarie or shrivered under the caves of the nearest bunding. These were not be any means doserted, but had aimost the showed the sum of the sease of the other than the sum of the st

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The sale of The Brooklyn Union-Argus, which has been in the market for some time, has been completed. The purchasers are Thomas Kinsella and William Hester, respectively editor and publisher of The Brooklyn Eagle, who will take the same places on The Union-Argus. The change is said to be due to dissatistaction with the manageme to The Eagle, the stock of which has been held by William C. Kingsley, William Van Anden and Messrs, Kusella and Hester. The two former own the controlling number of shares. Mr. Kinsella, ase ditor, it is said, refused to follow the direction of the stockhold its, and, as he could not secure control of the ing number of shares. Mr. Kinsella, ase ditor, it is said, refused to follow the direction of the stockhold its, and, as he could not secure control of the stock and the paper he determined to buy another. The Lagle is the only Democratic newspaper in Brooklyn, while The Union-Argus is one of the two Republican journals. In politics Mr. Kinsella is an Independent Democrat, and his new paper will represent those views. Colonel Hester said yesterday that the purchase of The Union-Argus had been completed and that the new owners would take possession next week or the week after. The price paid he would not state. Mr. Kinsella will be editor-in-chiet, and provably Andrew McLean, now manazille editor of The Eagle, will take the same position on The Union-Argus. Mr. Hester will be the publisher.

Anout ten years are The Union was sold by Henry C. Bowen, who founded it, to General Iracy, General Jourdan, and Lotin Palmer. The latter had the controlling interest and bas since managed it. The Brooklyn Argus was consolidated with it in 1877. Under the new management the price of the paper will remain at two cents. Mr. Kinsella refused to talk yesterday about his plans in regard to the purchase. He has been editor of The Eagle twenty-one years.

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TRADE AND TRANSPORTATION. The Board of Trade and Transportation yesterday elected nineteen frms as new members. Martin N. Day read a report of the Committee on Railroads exhaustively reviewing the eight years' efforts of the Board toward the establishment of a Railroad Commission. The report asserted that the Anti-

Board toward the establishment of a Railroad Commission. The report asserted that the Anti-Monopoly League was the outgrowth of the control over the legislation exercised by the railroads. A report from the Special Committee on Railway Freight Grievances revewed the exertions of the Board to recover damages for merchants who had suffered loss by the neglect of some of the railroads to promptly forward freight during the strike of railroad laborers a year ago. The committee congratulated the Board and the public upon the great importance of the results secured.

W. H. Wiley made a report on the recent lease by the Western Linon of the Matual Union Telegraph Company. The report, after calling attention to the various suits which have been begun to test the rights of directors to ignore stockholders, calls upon the Attorney-General to "thwart the schemes of public plunder" by a vigorous personal prosecution of the suits which have been begun in his name and thus demonstrate "that there is one public officer who cannot be controlled by corporations."

The Railroad Commissioners were requested to take into consideration the question of reducing commutation rates on the New-York Central and the Harlem Railroads.

THE CONTROL OF THE PRISONS. THE CONTROL OF THE PRISONS.

The General Term of the Supreme Court of Albany County has rendered a decision which may affect the relations of the Sherill of this county and the Commissioners of Charities and Correction. The custody of the prisoners in the County Jail was taken from Sherill Keeler, of Albany, by special act of the Legislature, and given to Jailer McEwen. This action has been pronounced to be unconstitutional.

Sheriff Davidson's attention was called to the decision by a Tribers: reporter, and he was asked if it might not possibly have some bearing on his case. He said that he did not know. He would, however, take no steps in the matter until a decision was reached by the Court of Appeals. He believed that the Tombs and Court of Appeals. He believed that the Tombs and other city prisons should be under the control of the Sheriff as well as the Penitentiary on Blackwell's Island. It has been a question with every Sheriff whether the act giving the control of the city prisons and those on Blackwell's Island to the Commissioners of Charities and Correction was constitutional. Commissioner Hess, of the Charities and Correction Department, said he did not consider that the decision of the Albany judges had cry bearing on his Department.

COIN STOLEN BY HIGHWAYMEN. The Church street police were searching yesterday for three highwaymen who committed a robbery in Greenwich-st. near Rector-st. at 5 p. m. on Tuesday. Gustave Goldsmith, a money broker at No. 50 Greenwich-st., locked up his office at that hour, having previously sent his office boy to deposit a box for safe keeping at the National Loan Office, No. 90 Greenwich-st. The box contained \$1,500 in foreign coin. As the lad was close to Rector-st. the three robbers overtook him. They evidently had been watching his movements and they chose an opportunity when few persons were in sight. Two of the men seized the boy and threw him down, while the third snatched the money box and hastened away with it. The boy, Adolph Uhlman, of No. 49 Avenue B, was too much frightened to take much notice of the men who had seized him, and in failing he struck bis head on the pavement. He received a slight contusion. The men all made their becape. The Church street police were searching vester-

THE JENNIE CRAMER MURDER RECALLED. A well-dressed young woman, who was evidently very drunk, staggered through Mulberry-st, yesterday morning between 1 and 2 o'clock. Opposite Police Headquarters she fell, and her escort, who was as unsteady as herself, helped her to her feet with difficulty. The lamp-light fell on her face and revealed the features of Blanche Douglass. The girl who gained such notoriety in the New-Haven trial has of late made her headquarters about Houston-st., and is on a steep down-grade.

against the Police Commissioners yesterday for \$15,000. He says he is still a member of the force and has been deprived of full pay for eleven years illegally. His claim is regarded by the Commissioners as absurd.

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Samuel McElroy, connected with the Department of Public Works, was questioned yesterday by the Water Supply Committee relative to the proposed dam and aqueduct. He thought it would be more economical and just as affective to repair and enlarge the present aqueduct. By raising the present croton dam six or seven feet a supply of 200,000,000 gallons per day could be had, For the present he thought it was cheaper to get water from the Croton watershed. After that it would be necessary to get water from the Ramano watershed in New-Jersey.

W. B. Hutton, chief engineer of the Washington squeduct curing its construction, described that work and various dams which he had examined in France and Spain. He thought that a solid ground entting would be just as durable and more economical than the proposed system of tunneling.

Isaac Newton, civil engineer of the Croton aqueduct, sent the committee his reely to the questions asked by Henry J. Newton, on the part of the lax-payers' Committee. The records of the Public Works Department show that the maximum flow of Croton water through the aqueduct has been 92,000,000 gallons per day. The flow on one day was 103,000,000 gallons per day. The flow on one day was 103,000,000. It was true that the water in the Boston aqueduct with a descent of six inches to the mile flowed faster than that in the Croton aqueduct with a descent of thirseen inches to the mile. New-York receives the beach of all the water that is bro ght down to fligh Bridge.

The Committee has resolved to ask the Legislature to extend the time for its investigation to March 10.

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The Normal College celebrated the thirteenth anniversary of its birth yesterday. The president of the senior class, Mass filekok, presented to the college on behalf of that class a steel engraving representing the presenting of the petition of Metellus Camber to Casar and a copy of Dante's Inferno, inhistrated by Dorc. The secretary of the class presented the class are containing the history of the college for the year to the junior class to be kept by them until they in turn pass it to their successors. An original poem was read by Mass Goepp.

William Wood, chairman of the Committee on Normal Colleges, sketched the history of the college. There are now on the rolls of the college over fourteen hundred names, the average daily attendance being about ihirteen hundred and fifty. In addition to this there are about twelve hundred pupils in the training school. The college has as many pupils as it can well accommedate, and should the applications for admission increase the percentage on which an applicant is entitled to admission with have to be raised.

President Thomas Hunter made a brief address, the said that the encurles of the college were not many, but they had facilities for making a great deal of noise. The great mass of people who had to work for a living, and for whose benefit the bubble school system was founded, appreciated the value of the college, and should it be seriously attacked they would make themselves both heard and fet in its favor. The education of the masses was a matter of prime importance, and a seniool system could not rise above the level of the ability of its teachers. It was just as important to have trained teachers as it was to have trained lawyers or doctors.

In conversation subsequently President Hunter said that the college had graduated since it was founded about 2,500 young women. Of that aumber thirteen hundred were now teaching in the city public schools. The college has constant calls from

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tries for graduates of the college.
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"A general lesson is given every morning to a class of smail children by an expert teacher in the presence of the pupil-teachers, who are obliced to take notes and charge their memories with what they obsider good points in the work. The pupil-teachers are called upon to express their views and read aloud such notes as they may have taken during the lesson. Later on, as far as is practicable, the pupil-teachers in turn give lessons in the lecture rom in the presence of a critic-teacher, subject to the most searching and rigid criticism. The inductive or development system is used both in the training school and in the college, and as far as practicable text books are discarded. Every other aim is subcrainated to that of turning out as nearly as may be perfect teachers, and our system of training is as near perfect as the mesent condition of the science of pedagogies will admit."

That is hard to say; the Manhattan Club has "That is hard to say; the Manhattan Club has won the most games this s-ason, but it has been beaten too. The Yonkers Club is the beat hereabout, and it is only strong in two rinks; when it plays three or four suits, it is weak. They have good ice though in Yonkers and plenty of practice. In Montreal and Wiscousin curing is played a good deal. In Montreal the clubs have their rinks under cover. The New-York clubs ought to do that; they have often talked about it, and the cost would be small. We have some first-ra'e players in New-York. There's John Vartant James Mitchell, of the Thistie; John Falconer, of the Manhattan; George Henderson, Samuel MacConchie, of St. Andrews; Samuel MacIntyre, of the Empire City; and David Reed, of the New-York. What we want is more practice together."

REAL ESTATE ACTIVE AT AUCTION.

There were numerous auction transactions in real estate at the Exchange Salesroom yesterday. The attendance was large in spite of the discouraging weather, and the prices were generally but up to good figures before a sale took place. The most important sale was that of the estate of William Simpson by Richard V. Harnett & Co. The total proceeds of the sale were \$312.250. P. Nathan & Co. bought No. 89 Bowery for \$46,000, and Nos. 132 and 130 Hester-st, for \$29,000. Edward D. Farrell bought No. 93 Bowery for \$41,.50. The price on the flester-st, property was run up from \$12,000 to \$29,000 by the competition between Messrs. Nathan and Farrell. Charles Wolfenstein purchased No. 187 Bowery for \$40,700, and No. 6 Delancy-st, for 10,200. Nos. 377, 379, 344, 383 and 385 Fourth-ave., and Nos. 101 and 106 East Twenty-seventh-st, for \$145,100. There will be several important offerings at auction to-day, including Bowery property. REAL ESTATE ACTIVE AT AUCTION.

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John Moore, alias "Joe" Gleason, a thief whose photograph was placed in the "Rognes' Gallery" ten years ago, when he was sentenced to ave years in the State Prison for burglary, was arrected on Sunday night by the occupants of No. 40 East Fifty-eighth-st. Moore was found in a room on the second floor by a sister of Mrs. Mary H. Morris, who lives in the house. She gave the alarm and Moore jumped from the window to the steps below. Professor Buckridge was at that moment going up the steps to make a call at the house. Hearing the cries of the women he serized Moore ment going up the steps to mean he seized Meo. Hearing the cries of the women he seized Meo, and forced him into the house, where the burgh was held until Officer Donohue, of the Noneteenth Precinct, came and arrested him. At the Police station several skeleton keys and other burglars tools, together with a large loaded revolver were found on the prisoner. He was held for examina-tion by Justice Herrman in the Yorkville Police Court yesterday.

A BLOODHOUND WITH HYDROPHOBIA. A valuable bloodbound owned by C. D. Shepherd, the proprietor of "The White Elephant," at No. 1,241 Broadway, and kept at his house in Westchester County, went mad en Treesday and had to be shot. J. W. Shute, a police officer of New-Roschelle, went to Mr. Shepherd's stable and New-Rochelle, went to Mr. Shepherd's stable and found the dog chasing Mr. Shepherd's conchman. The animal was foaming at the mouth and showed every symptom of hydrophobia. The coachman ran un a ladder and the dog tried to follow hum, but became entangled in a long chain that was fastened to the collar about his neck. Officer Shute jumped into his sleigh and whisped up his horse just as the dog turned upon him. The animal gave chase, caught the fur robe in the sleigh in his teeth and tore it to pieces. He then ran to Jerusalem, a small village about two miles from Larchmont, and bit several dogs. The rabid beast was finally shot by an inhabitant of the place who armed himself thoroughly and put six bullets into the dog's body.

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A DISABLED POLICEMAN'S CLAIM.

James T. Duffy, who was appointed a policeman in 1868, and was retired on an annual pension of \$300 in 1872 on account of disability, began a suit

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A circular of Third Assistant Postmaster-General Hazen has caused some complaint among merchants. It forbids the practice that has been adopted frequently in this city of allowing the person to whom a registered letter is addrossed to affix his name to the receipt by means of a stamp. The circular division of the receipt by means of a stamp. The circular division in the control of the strange of the Norwegian has a passenger. Captain Close of the Norwegian bark Anna was wrecked in a gale at Frontern on January 24. She was loading for Europe.

GAMBLERS HELD IN BAIL.

Robert H. Deadrick, the proprietor of the kambing den at No. 226 Fifth-ave., and F. Jones, his there has been no complaint of forgeries of the

stamps that have been used here, but there may have been difficulties from the practice elsewhere.

A WOMAN NOT TO BE TRIFLED WITH.

A well-dressed man, about forty-five years old, was sent to jail in Newark yesterday under peculiar circumstances. For about two months pass women living on Warren and New-sts, and Warren-place who have had occasion to be abroad after dark have been annoyed and insulted by a well-dressed man. On Thesday night a young woman, who had been twice insulted by the fellow, was returning to her home and when near Warren-st, and Warren-place she was again accosted by him. Acting upon a sudden idea she turn-d and invited her insulter to accompany her home and the invitation was promptly accented. Reaching the house the girl invited her escrit to take a seat in the parlor until she could divest herself of her cloak in another apartment. She then sought her mother and acquainting her with the character of the guest prevailed on her to send for a police officer. Special Officer McCormack was found near by and he processed to the house. Upon the appearance of the officer the young woman deman ied that he should take the stranger in custody, stating that she would make a charge against him. The officer took the man to the police station and A WOMAN NOT TO BE TRIFLED WITH. man sed that he should take the stranger in custody, stating that she would make a charge against him. The officer took the man to the police station and locked him up over night. He gave the name of F. Dellefrey, and his residence No. 52 New-York-ave. Yesterday he was identified as a man who had insulted other women living in the neighborhood. He waived an examination and will be tried before three Judges next week.

SELLING ORIENTAL ART OBJECTS.

A slight improvement in prices and a marked increase in the importance of the goods marked the closing day of the sale of Oriental art objects at Kirby's gallery yesterday. There was a good attendance considering the weather. Some of the best prices obtained were as follows: A vase of the kang-he period, turquoise crackie hiberon form, \$150; a sang de bouf biberon vase, with flaring neck, Keenlung period, \$120; a rare Ming vase, trumpetshaped, violet splash, \$150; a mustard-yellow Kang-he vase, straight form, with flaring top and raised handles, \$300; a ronge coralle vase, same period, fifteen by seven and one-half inches, of onusual size and quality, \$730; a turquoise vase, jarshaped and engraved, of the Yung Ching period, \$305; a sang de bouf vase, bottle-shaped, with flaring top, Kang-he period, \$330; a flambé vase, \$190; a jer of sang de bouf color, Kang-he period, \$290; a bleu de Nonkin hawthorn jar and cover, \$220, and a pan of tail Japanese cylindrical vases, twenty-seven inches high, with enamelled and raised ornaments, \$160 each; a bleu poudre vase, cylindrical form, with blessoming cherry tree and figure, \$185; an imperial Keen lung, arge pilgrim bottle, with imperial dragon and gold clouds, and ronge corolle handles, \$500; a lavender vase, ovoid form, engraved ornaments, \$160. SELLING ORIENTAL ART OBJECTS.

THE REV. MR. DE VINNE'S FUNERAL. THE REV. MR. DE VINNE'S FUNERAL.

The funeral of the Rev. Laniel De Vinné took place yestershy afternoon in the Morrisania Methodist Episcopal Church. Many members of the New York East Conference, of which the dead clergymen was the oldest member, were present. Ame in them were the Rev. Dr. Daniel Curry, of Harlem; the Rev. A. N. Molyneaux, John Stansbury. Robert Creek, of Monst Vernon; J. H. Roche, of Brooklyn; T. N. Laine, of Mott Haven; C. T. Mallory, George Hollis, S. H. Platt, Dr. Francis Bottome and W. C. Smith. There were no pall hearers, the Rev. Dr. Daniel Curry, the Rev. S. H. Platt and George Hollis made the addresses. The speakers alluded to the laborious life of the dead man, and his George Holia made the addresses. The speakers alluded to the laborious life of the dead mad, and his devotion and fidelity. They especially emplastized the zeal he displayed in his defence of abolition, by which he incurred expulsion from the conference and the odium of many friends. The Kev. W. C. Smith read a chapter from the Buble and the benediction was pronounced by the Kev. Dr. J. A. Reche. A large number of relatives and friends followed the hearse to Woodlawn, where the interment took place. ment took place.

A KETILEDRUM IN AID OF THE AGED.

On Saturday next the ladies' connected with the Samaritan Home for the Aged will give their annual kettleirum at the Armory of the 71st Regiment, at Broadway and Thirty fifth-st. The Home is at No. 414 West Twenty-second-st., and has been in overation for sixteen years. Among the lady managers are Mrs. S. L. M. Bariow, Mrs. Marshall O. Rob rts and Mrs. W. K. Vande belt, and as the Home is supported entirely by gifts and the proceeds arising from the sales at the annual kettleirum, it is expected that the friends of the charity will lend helping hands.

The tables will be in charge of ladies as follows: At the fancy table. Mrs. R. Irwin, Miss Robbins, Mrs. Kinnicutt, Miss McVicker and Mrs. John Bigelow; refresiment table, Mrs. Smythe, Mrs. Higginson, Mrs. Folet and Mrs. De Forrest; tea table, Mrs. Robert F. Weir, Mrs. J. Lester Wallack, Mrs. Robert F. Weir, Mrs. J. Lester Wallack, Mrs. Robert F. Weir, Mrs. J. Lester Wallack, Mrs. Robert F. Weir, Mrs. McLester Wallack, Mrs. Robert Brightam, Mrs. Schermerhorn, Mrs. Robert Remson, the Misses Remsen and Mrs. S. B. Dana, Lander's Band is engaged, and in the evening there will be dancing. A KETTLEDRUM IN AID OF THE AGED.

HIS LOT TO BE MADE COMFORTABLE. HIS LOT TO BE MADE COMFORTABLE.

The efforts of Senator Boyd on Tuesday to have the Legislature take summary action with regard to H. M. Flagler and Messrs, nockafeller and Brewster, of the Standard Oil Company, and Leonard Hazeltine, who refused to give the Committee on Corners all the information it desired caused considerable comment in the Froduce Exchange vesterday. Mr. Hazeltine came in for a large share of goodnatured badgering. He was assured that should be "be dealt with in accordance with the provisions of the law for contempt," as Senator Boyd interprets them, he would be taken care of, I romises were made them, he would be taken care of. I romises were made from representatives of each trade that they would see that his prison aret was supplemented by all the delicacies the market would afford.

HOME NEWS.

PROMINENT ARRIVALS.

Brevoort House—Charles Francis Adams, jr., Brevoort House—Charles Francis Adams, jr.,

WHAT IS GOING ON TO-DAY.

Mass-meeting of workingmen at Cooper Institute.
Functors' Club exhibition at Madison Square Garden.
Meeting of Aldermen's Committee on Markets.
Alfred Arlward's lesture on "Dutch South Africa"
etore American Geographical Society.
Annual meeting of Brookly: Civil Service Reform As el Michig's lecture on "Sea Coast Defences" a

telaway Hall.
Executive Committee of Trotting House Breeders' Association at Everett House.
Chess fournament at Manhattan Chess Club rooms.
Water Commission meeting at Mayor Edson's office.

NEW-YORK CITY.

"S. B. S." sends \$5 for the family of Joseph A. Seeds; "L. W. S." sends \$1. Dr. W. H. Van Buren, of No. 1 Park-ave., passed a comfortable day yesterday, and is steadily improv-

The opening of Fulton Market, which had been announced for to-day, has been postponed and probably will not occur until April 1st. Unsafe buildings reported yesterday: Nos. 413 Hudson-st., 313 West Twenty-fifth-st. and 167 East One-hundred-and-third-st.

The Intercollegiate Athletic Association will hold its annual convention at the Fifth Avenue Hotel on Saturday afternoon.

Ticket sellers on the elevated roads say that they no longer try to explain to passengers when asked for a "through ticket" or one to go to a certain The transfer books of the Western Union Telegraph Company, by vote of the Executive Commit-tee, at a meeting yesterday, will not be reopened be fore February 23.

ASKING FOR FUNDS FOR A NEW HOSPITAL.

The managers of the New-York Skin and Cancer Hospital, to be established at No. 243 East
Thirty-fourth-st, appeal for fands to carry on the
institution. Edward Winslow, of Winslow, Lamer
& Co., No. 26 Nassau-st., is treasurer.

Dr. HAMILTON REGAINING BEALTH.
Dr. F. H. Hamilton, of No. 43 West Thirty-secondst., said to a TRIBUNE reporter yesterday that the
reports of his having had a relapse were a mistake.
He is slowly but surely being restored to health and
he goes out every day.

Tuesday, were held in \$500 bail in the Jeffer on Market Police Court ye terday.

The Iman Line steamship City of Richmond, which sailed from Liverpool on February 1, is three days overdue. The Surrey, of the Amsterdam Line, sailed from Amsterdam on January 24, and is a week overdue. The Brooklyn City, sailing from Bristol on January 24, is also a week overdue.

ENDANGERED BY A RUNAWAY HORSE.

A horse attached to a single in which six children were riding ranaway in Fifth-ave, at Seventy-sixth-st, yesterday, but it was caught and stopped by Police and John McNamara atter it had gone four blocks. None of the children were injured and no damage was done to the sleigh.

THE AMERICAN YACHT CLUB.

The certificate of the American Yacht Club was filed yesterder. The trustees named for the first year are Albert Komp, jr., William Hassloch, E. M. Jerolaman, Ernest Schram and C. C. Brearley. The flag of the club is to be a piece of some kind of white material, ornamented with a blue star and red borders and blue corners. The shape of the flag is triangular. STABBED IN THE SIDE WITH A STILETTO

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Joseph Detano, a laborer, of No. 22 Spring-st., and Joseph Mi hao, of No. 196 Mort St., foreman of a gang of street-sweepers, quarrelled yesterday morning at Defano's house. Defano stabbed Michao in the side with a stiletto. The wounded man was taken to St. Vincent's Hospital, and Defano was arrested. He was held for examination by Justice Power, at the Tombs Pohce Court.

The following additional SUFFERERS. The following additional sums of money have been sent to Europe for the sufferers by the floods in Germany and Hungary by Knauth, Nachod & Kuhne, bankers; To Berlin, 1,644 marks from citizens of Dallas, Pex. 7,500 marks from citizens of Quiney, Ill.; 2,623 marks from citizens of Terre Haute, Ind., and 800 marks from citizens of Cerrelton, Ind.; to Letpsig, 1,623 marks from citizens of Serrelton, Ind.; to Letpsig, 1,623 marks from citizens of Seattle, Washington Territory; and to Vienna, 1,500 florins from citizens of Pecria, Ill.

A LOTTERN INDICATED TRANSPORT

A LOTTERY INDICTMENT DISMISSED.

An indetment has been lying for nearly two years against B. F. Moore, who was charged by Anthony Comstock with having sold in this city slips of the Louisiana Lottery. The indictment was dismissed yesterday on the motion of Assistant District-Attorney O'Byrne, it having been shown that Moore had permanently removed to Chicago, and that the business of the lottery company in this city had been given up as far as Moore was concerned.

COFFINS IN PLACE OF DEMIJORINS.

The notrious saloon of "Andy" Kelly, No.144 Hester-st., in front of which the fatal shooting affray between Roundsman Delaney and McGlory's barkeeper, Patrick McGlowan, took place, has ceased to be. The poince drove the proprietor out of the business and the Excise Commissioners declared that the place should never be licensed again. Kelly now keeps an undertaker shop, relying probably on his former associates to furnish him with "subjects".

TO CONSIDER SAFEGUARDS AGAINST FIRE TO CONSIDER SAFEGUARDS AGAINST FIRE.
Several weeks ago the New-York Board of Fire
Underwriters appointed a special committee to investigate the beculiar hazards from fire of the dry
goods district. The committee reached the conclusion that the safety of the district can be materially
is creased at a small expense: also that the problem
of a prompt and adequate water supply is of great
and pressing importance to owners of property in
the district. A conference of merchants with the
committee has been called to consider these subjects
on next Friday. HONESTY THE BEST POLICY.

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Thomas Hayes, who pleaded guilty yesterday, in the Court of General Sessions, to the stealing of wearing apparel from George Borst, of No. 554 Broome-st., told Recorder Smyth, when called up for sentence, that he had been to the State Prison seventeen years ago, although he is only thirty-five years old. The Recorder gave him a light sentence for having been honest enough to confess service in prison, which it would have been difficult to prove, and sentenced him to two years and a half in the State Prison.

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The friends of Frederick Wagner, the missing wine merchant of No. 20 First-ave., say that there is no truth in the report that he was seen recently at San Bernaudina, Col. Nothing has been heard from him since list Angust, and nothing can be learned of his fate, though careful inquiries were made at every point in Mexico, New-Mexico, Colorado and California where it was thought possible that information might be gained. He was last seen at La Junta, Col., and there is every reason to believe that he was foully dealt with.

INVESTIGATION STEAM-HEATING SCHEMES.

INVESTIGATING STEAM-IN-ATING SCHEMES.
The Grand Jury yesterday continued its investigation of the complaints that have been made concerning the underground steam-heating pipes.
Assistant District-Afterney O'Byrne has charge of Assistant District-Attorney O'Byrne has charge of the investigation, Controller Campbell, Corpora-tion, Counsel Andrews, Chief-Engineer Isaac New-ton, ex-Maxor Grace, William Sauer, John P. Kennedy and H. B. Turner, the president, and E. S. Buil, the vice-president, of the American Steam Heating Company, against which compains had been made, were examined. The result of the investigation will probably be made known in a present to the Court.

THE ARION SOCIETY'S MASQUERADE.

The festivities at the masquerade ball of the Arion Society on next Wednessiay exeaing at the Madison Square Garden will be of a novel character. The ball will be opened at 9 o'clock with an orchestral concert. Then the Floor Committee, the Loboy Committee and the Finance Committee, in the costumes of Charles II. Louis XIII. and Van Dyck, will form in front of the throne of Prince Carnival, and after performing several military evolutions will invite the masqueraters to join in the opening polonise, and dancing will be kept up intil the arrival of Prince Carnival, which will be heralded by trimpets. After the Prince and his aids are seated the procession will pass in review. This part of the entertainment will consist of 1,000 persons, wagons, animals, etc.

BROOKLYN. BROOKLYN.

Controller Brinkerhoff has made a statement showing that the city owes property owners about \$300,000 for awards for street openings.

A conscience-stricken taxpayer of the First Ward paid yesterday to the Assessment Department \$30, the sum which he be leved to be due for his taxes and which had not been charged to him. Mayor Low invites all citizens interested in the city's relations to the water front to meet for conference in his office to-day to discuss especially the question of building docks as provided in bilis now

Michael Mechan, who was arraigned in the Court of Sessions yesteriay for marder in the second de-gree in killing his wife in their house at Hamilton-ave, and Nelson-st., on July 27, 1882, pleaded pully of manslaughter in the third degree.

It was reported vesterday that the Grand Jury had agreed to indict John J. Laydon for perjury in testifying at the trial of John Kenny for marder that he gave Kenny's pestol to "Frank" McGovern. Laydon is under air at for aiding Kenny to commit suicide by conveying to him the postol with which he shot himself.

A number of women connected with Brooklyn churches recently organized an association called the Bibic Reading and Prayer Alliance, the object of which is "to promote the united prayerful study of the Hely Scriptures." Yesterday the Alliance had an all day meeting in the parlors of the Lafayette Avenne Presbyterian Church. Especial reference was made to the importance of religious instruction for the Uninese in New-York and Brooklyn, Mrs. Knowles, of Newark, gave a Bible reading at 2 o'clock.

ing at 2 o'clock. JERSEY CITY. The customary inspection of the County institu-tions at Snake Itili was made yesterday by the Grand Jury. The Jury will make a pre-sentment recommending that fire-escapes be pro-vided for the almshouse, pentientlary and innatic asylum, and that better facilities for promoting clean mess be allorded.

The police have determined to strictly enforce the city ordinance requiring snow to be cleaned from the odewalks within four neurs after it has ceased the successful and the successful allowed the successful allowed the successful and the sum of the successful and the sum of the successful and the sum of the successful and the succes

Burnsted. The penalty on conviction is a line of \$5. The inquest in the case of Mrs. Kate Murray, of Thirteentiest, who, it is alleged, died of injuries inflicted by her husband was ended at two o'clock yesterday morning when the jury returned a verdict that the woman died of injuries inflicted by some person unknown. There was strong circumstantial evidence that Mrs. Murray had been beaten by her husband on his making the discovery that she was unfainful. Murray is in the county jail under a formal charge of murder and the case will be considered by the next Grand Jury.

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chief of Police Murphy received a letter yester-day from Goddard & Co., of Breadway, New-York, disclaiming any responsibility for the suspension of sentence in the case of their cierk, John Gray, who robbed them of \$10,000 worth of goods. When Gray was arraigned in New-York he pleaded gmilty, but before sentence was passed he was brought to Jersey city and used as a witness against Herman Harner, the receiver of the goods he stole from Goddard & Co. Harner was convicted on his testimony and sentenced to eighteen months in State Prison. Jubsequently Judge Gildersleeve suspended sentence on Gray and he was released. In their letter to Chief Murphy Goddard & Co. say: "We desire you to know this to be sure that we are in earnest in what we are doing, and moreover we will, add that we do not intend to let the matter rest

where it is, but shall do all in our power to have justice done."

NEW-JERSEY. BAYONNE.—Six women who were picking coal on the Central railroad tracks were arrested on a charge of larcery yesterday at the instance of he railroad authorities. A great many accidents occur on the road from this cause, and the company, which is held responsible in a measure, has determined to lessen the number. The prisoners were required to furnish \$50 bail each to await the action of the Grand Jury.

WESTCHESTER COUNTY. YONKERS.—Over 150 hat-finishers of Baldwin's hat factory are on a strike against a decrease of their wages. The manufacturers say that a decrease

in wages was made necessary in order to compete with convict labor.

The will of William A. Seaver, late of Mount Ver-

non, was propoun led in the Surrogate's Court yesterday. The estate is valued at \$150,000, and it is left to his wife during her life. It then goes to the children of brothers and sisters. Madelaine, daughter of Judge John R. Brady, receives \$5,000 under the will. WHITE PLAINS .- James Brown, for committing a

burglary at the house of Henry A. Harris, in the town of Bedford, was sentenced in the Court of Sessions to five years' impresonment with hard labor.

James Brown, after being convicted at White Plains of burglary committed in the town of Bedford, gave to Court Officer Lockwood several articles of convenienced by the lawyers. ford, gave to Court Officer Lockwood several arti-cles of considerable value. Some of the lawyers about the court afterward poked fun at A. J. Hyatt, who had voluntarily defen led Brown, because he had not secured the valuables. Hyatt didn't like that kind of fun, so he made an affidavit to the Court charging Officer Lockwood with stealing the articles in open court. The Judge said he had noth-ing to do with the matter. Hyatt says that he will lay the matter before Governor Cleveland and try to secure Lockwood's removal. LONG ISLAND.

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Long Island City.—The Queens County Board of Supervisors has appointed Christopher Fagan keeper of the new penny bridge over Newtown Creek at a salary of \$700 per year, also four assistants at \$575 per year, Kings County paying one-half. The bridge will be open for travel next week.

The Board of Aldermen of Long Island City has approved a bill to fund the floating debt of that city. The bill provides that the bonds shall be of the denomination of \$500, and bear interest at the rate of 5 per cent, payable semi-annually. They are to be redeemed in 1903.

STATEN ISLAND.

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STAPLETON.—Another hearing took place yesterday before Justice McCullongh, in the case of Rudolph Moeser, charged with bigamy. Moeser is tarry-five years old and a native of Switzerland. His first wife died in May last. A few days after the funeral he was married to Mrs. flouser, a widow of seventy years old, by Justice Wermerskirch. Two months later the couple appeared before the same Justice and said they could not live happily together. Separation papers were drawn up, but they were informed that they could not marry again. Dorothea Christiansen, a young widow of this city, testified that she was married to Moeser in October, 1882, in New-York, When she discovered that he had another wife living she caused his arrest.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

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SHIPPING NEWS.

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Steamer B F Matthews Br., Milne, Newcastle Jan 23 via Long Islam Sound, in ballast to Shapson, Spence & Young, Steamer City of Puebla, Dealton, Mexican ports, via Havana 4 days, with moles and passengers to A E toterbridge & Co. Steamer City of San Antonio, Illnes, Matanzas 7 days, via Russan, NP, o'days, with miles and passengers to C H Mal Steamer Excelsion, Hawthorn, New Orleans 7 days, with

SUNSET-Wind at Sandy Rook, light, SE, foggy and misty, at City Island, light, SE, raining, re The following vessels arrived yesterday, too late for insertion in shipping news:

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ndse to order, vessel to master.
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Co. Steamer Adriatic (Br), Jennings, Liverpool via Queenstown B J Couts. R J Coytis. Stoamer Marengo (Br), Malet, Hult-Sanderson & Son, Steamer Trinscria (Br), Kilenen, Glasgow-Henderson omer Mary Louise (Br), Gibb, Glasgow-Simpson

c Young. r Frija (Dan), Boye, Havre -Funch, Edye & Co. r Westphalia (Ger), Baunas, Hamburg via Plymouth Steamer Alvo Bri, Williams, Port au Prince, Jacmel, etc. steamer Alvo Bri, Williams, Port au Prince, Jacmel, etc. Phys. Forwood & Co. in, Forward & Co.

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Brig Kitty Clyde (Br), Matheson, St Pierre, Mart-Hatten
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SAILED.

Steamers Gallia, for Liverpool, Trinacria, Giasnow; Macedonia, Newcastie, Labrador, Harrie, Zaambam, Amsterdam, Argora, New Orleans, Tallahusses, Savananh, Morro Castle, Charleston: Hichmond, West Point, Va. McClellan, Baltamore, Commonwealth, Philode phia, Shirs Annie HSmith, for Yokohama; Chas Dennis, San Francusco, Forks, Edith, Antwerp, Wellington, Liverpool, Brigs Lettila, Port au Prince; Anita, Cludad-Bolivar. MISCELLANGOUS

rgianna F Geory, Coulson, Charleston-Evans, Ball

Steamer Rheola (Br), Horlor, from Cardiff for New-York, before reported returning, is leaking. Her bulwarks and standships are gone, she has lest touts, and her crew has rey. r Nymohae, at masgow from New-York, had cargo damaged on passage.

Steamer Joshua 34 holson, from Ealtimore, before reported acround at hotsetiam, has been floated.

Ship Fredrich (fort, Gruggermant, from Bremen Jan 23 for New Orieans, has put into Flymouth with the loss of sails. THE MOVEMENTS OF STEAMERS.

FOREIGN PORTS.

QUEENSTOWN, Feb 14—Salled, steamer Republic (Br), Irv
Ing. from Laverpool hence for New York.

HULL Feb 14—Arrived, steamer Romano (Br), Mitchell,
from New York Jan 31.

(Hasdow, Feb 14—Arrived, steamer Titania (Br), McLean, GLASSOW, Feb 14—Arrived, steamer Titania (Br), McLean, from New-York Jan 30.
GALWAY, Feb 14—Arrived, steamer Thornycroft (Br), Sealer, from Sattimore Jan 25.
GIRBALTAR, to Feb 14—Arrived, steamer Ponca (Br), Kemptnn, from New-York Jan 29 on her way to Barcelona. Feb 14-Salled, steamer Circassian (Br), from Liverpool hence for Baltimore, DOMESTIC PORTS.

BOSTON, Feb 14-Arrived, steamers Hlyrian (Br). Fargher, Liverpool, Winston (Br), Edmonson, Dundee, Dorian (Br),

Mitchell Mediterranean ports: Perkiomen, Miller. Philadelphila Nersus Bearss. New-York.
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New-York.

SAVANAH. Feb 14—Sailed, steamer City of Savannah.Catherine, New-York.

POLICIAN SETTING.

FOREIGN SHIPPING.

LONDOX, Feb 14-Sailed, 13th inst, Charmer, Yarkend,
Arrivet, 13th inst, Acadian, Ada Brown, Betty (Capt Petterson, Celestial Empire, Cypromene, Doune Castle, Dunkaid,
Geo Watson, Grent, Grisedale, John T Smith, Lorienzo Cam
donico, Mary Lee, at Hamburg, Mailida C Smith, Odivia
Speciosa, Olago (ant Crangle), Revetto, Torden, kjold; 14th
Inst, Florida (Capt Klein).

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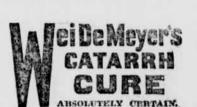
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